STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1994 No. 329

The Road Vehicles (Construction and Use) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1994

Amendments to regulation 76 (maximum permitted laden weight of a vehicle and trailer, other than an articulated vehicle)

7.—(1) Regulation 76 shall be amended as follows.

transport operations).".

- (2) After paragraph (1), there shall be inserted the following paragraph—
 "(1A) This regulation is subject to Schedule 11A (exemptions relating to combined
- (3) For items 1, 1A and 1B in the Table there shall be substituted the following items—

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A wheeled trailer which is drawn by a wheeled motor tractor, heavy motor car (not being in any case an agricultural motor vehicle), where35,000

- (a) the combination has a total of 4 axles and is being used for international transport; and
- (b) the drawing vehicle is a vehicle which was first used on or after 1st April 1973 and complies with the relevant braking requirement

1A

A wheeled trailer which is drawn by a wheeled motor tractor, heavy motor car or motor car (not being in any case an agricultural motor vehicle), where the combination has a total of 4 axles and the following conditions are satisfied in relation to the drawing vehicle, namely—

(a) it was first used on or after 1st April 1973;

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- it complies with the relevant braking requirement;
- every driving axle not being a steering axle is fitted with twin tyres; and
- every driving axle is fitted with road friendly suspension

A wheeled trailer which is drawn by a wheeled motor tractor, heavy motor car or motor car (not being in any case an agricultural motor vehicle), where the combination has a total of 5 or more axles and the following conditions are satisfied in relation to the drawing vehicle, namely-

- it was first used on or after 1st April 1973;
- it complies with the relevant braking requirement;
- every driving axle not being a steering axle is fitted with twin tyres; and
- either every driving axle is fitted with road friendly suspension or no axle has an axle weight exceeding 8,500kg

A wheeled trailer, not being part of a combination described in items 1, 1A or 1AA which is drawn by a wheeled motor tractor, heavy motor car or motor car (not being in any case an agricultural motor vehicle),

- power–assisted brakes which can be operated by the driver of the drawing vehicle and are not rendered ineffective by the non-rotation of its engine; and
- (b) the drawing vehicle is equipped with a warning

1AA

38,000

32,520"

where-

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device so placed as to be readily visible to the driver of the vehicle and which is capable of indicating any impending failure of, or deficiency in, the vacuum or pressure system

(4) In item 3 of the Table, after "1A," there shall be inserted "1AA,".